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TO: Each Health Deputy

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Substance Abuse Prevention and Control

SUBJECT: NOTICE TO TERMINATE CONTRACT WITH R.I.G.H.T. PROGRAM, A

DRUG/MEDI-CAL AGENCY

This is to inform you that the Department of Public Health's (DPH) Substance Abuse Prevention and Control (SAPC) has terminated its agreement with R.I.G.H.T. Program (RIGHT) for default, effective February 7, 2014. The agency is located at 1704 West Manchester Avenue, Suite 103, Los Angeles, California 90047, in the Second Supervisorial District.

On January 16, 2014, SAPC received notice from the owner of the building that RIGHT had vacated its office space a few months ago, and left approximately 1,500 to 2,000 client files in the abandoned space. To ensure that all client files were properly protected and secure, SAPC took possession of the abandoned RIGHT client files.

As a result and pursuant to the County's contract with RIGHT, RIGHT's contract with the County of Los Angeles was terminated on February 6, 2014. SAPC has notified the State Department of Health Care Services of the termination.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please let me know.

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